

REMARKS

Claims 1-22 are pending in this application. By this Amendment, claims 1, 17, 18, and 20 are amended, and claims 21 and 22 are added. Reconsideration based on the above amendments and following remarks is respectfully requested.

Applicant appreciates the Office Action's indication that claims 4 and 17-19 include allowable subject matter.

Support for the amended feature recited in claims 1 and 20 may be found in the specification at paragraphs [0101]-[0102]. Support for new claims 21 and 22 may be found in the specification at paragraphs [0058], [0076] and [0103]. Claim 17 is amended into independent form so as to place this claim into condition for allowance. Claim 18 is amended to depend from claim 17. Thus, no new matter is added.

I. The Claims Define Patentable Subject Matter

Claims 1-3, 5-16 and 20 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. §103(a) as unpatentable over U.S. Publication No. 2003/0147036 to Kaise et al. (hereinafter "Kaise") in view of U.S. Patent No. 6,654,083 to Toda et al. (hereinafter "Toda"). Applicant respectfully traverses this rejection.

None of the applied art discloses a packaging case that houses the dust-proof substrate "by having sides arranged at at least two sides of the dust-proof substrate," as recited in amended claim 1, and similarly recited in claim 20.

Kaise discloses a packaging case where only one side of the dust-free plate 28, rests on the heat sink 29.

Further, none of the applied references teach or suggest "a hook that engages with the package case and that has a surface that faces the broad surface of the dust-proof substrate, the light blocking film, and dust-proof substrate, the packaging case, and the hook configuring a heat conductive path," as recited in claim 21.


Thus, withdrawal of the rejection is respectfully requested.

II. Conclusion

In view of the foregoing, it is respectfully submitted that this application is in condition for allowance. Favorable reconsideration and prompt allowance of claims 1-22 are earnestly solicited.

Should the Examiner believe that anything further would be desirable in order to place this application in even better condition for allowance, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the telephone number set forth below.

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